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IN THE MINES

THE COPPER SHARE MARKET.

The following shows the average price of 20 active copper stocks in the New York and Boston markets for the past eight years and the present year to date, the stocks taken being Allouez, Amalgamated, Anaconda, Calumet & Arizona, Centennial, Chino, Copper Range Consolidated, Franklin, Granby Consolidated, Indiana, Isle Royale, Mohawk, North Butte, Old Dominion, Osceola, Ray Consolidated, Shannon, Tennessee, Utah Consolidated and Utah Copper.

Year	High	Low
Year, 1906	74.57	46.98
Year, 1907	80.09	28.66
Year, 1908	60.13	34.04
Year, 1909	60.79	46.96
Year, 1910	58.50	30.65
Year, 1911	39.74	26.69
Year, 1912	49.62	35.44
Year, 1913	44.96	30.36
March, 1913	39.84	35.90
April, 1913	40.58	35.36
May, 1913	37.99	35.11
June, 1913	36.12	30.36
July, 1913	35.53	31.28
August, 1913	37.11	33.82
September, 1913	39.54	35.57
October, 1913	37.31	33.81
November, 1913	35.17	32.09
December, 1913	36.68	32.23
January, 1914	38.84	34.71
February, 1914	40.63	37.49
Week of Feb. 7	40.09	38.15
Week of Feb. 14	39.91	38.83
Week of Feb. 21	40.04	38.74
Week of Feb. 28	39.09	37.79
Week of March 7	38.79	37.62
Week of Mar. 14	38.51	37.00
Week of Mar. 21	38.93	37.61
Week of Mar. 28	39.18	37.76
Week of Apr. 4	39.10	37.63
Week of April 11	38.83	37.88
Week of April 25	36.63	33.90

THE METAL MARKETS.

Current Prices a Shade Easier Than at New York.

New York, May 1.—The following table gives the cash prices of various metals used in the arts and manufactures at date with the corresponding quotations one week previous:

	May 1	April 24
Silver	59.25	58.50
Copper, Lake	14.37 1/2	14.50
Electrolytic	14.37 1/2	14.50
Casting	14.25	14.00
Crucible	12.12 1/2	12.87 1/2
Scrap	11.62 1/2	12.12 1/2
Tin	34.62 1/2	35.10
Lead	3.90	3.80
Spelter	5.05	5.15

THE METAL MARKET.

Geo. L. Walker, Writing in the Boston Commercial, under date of May 2, Says:

Copper prices are lower. Lake is 14 1/2 to 14 3/4 cents and electrolytic is 14 1/2 to 14 3/4 cents a pound. The reduction of prices brought in a good volume of buying. The trouble with the situation just at present is that production is unprecedently large, while consumption in this country which normally absorbs 35 to 40 per cent of the world's output, is just now taking only about 25 per cent of it. Exports for April averaged slightly more than 1,000 long tons daily or approximately 68,000,000 pounds for the month, according to custom returns, being well above former averages, notwithstanding the heavy outgo immediately preceding. It is plain therefore, that foreign consumption is increasing proportionately more rapidly than production.

For some little time to come there is likely to be a material decrease in the Mexican output, which normally amounts to about 160,000,000 pounds a year. The effect of this will not begin to be felt, however, for three months to come; and it will be largely offset by the return to a normal volume of production by the Lake Superior mines and the Granby, porphyry and other output increases.

There is a very large profit for most producers with copper at present prices, and will be for the benefit of the trade in the long run if the surplus supplies can be materially increased during the coming two or three months. A higher price for copper only awaits a return to normal business conditions in the United States. When that comes there will not be nearly enough copper to supply the demand and there is very little doubt that the price will advance to around 20 cents a pound, and much higher if the business revival comes immediately.

There is very little prospect of a long continued business depression in this country. The people are getting decidedly tired of it and are coming to have a better understanding of its cause. I believe that they can be depended upon to get together soon and give such strong expression to their feelings as to restore investment and business confidence. Meanwhile if producers are obliged to increase their stocks of unsold copper it will probably result to their great advantage later on. Consumer should not hesitate to increase their supplies of the metal on this decline in prices.

ORE BY PARCEL POST.

Idaho Miner Ships Five Tons in 50 Pound Lots.

Butte, Mont., April 28.—Ore shipments by parcel post is the latest move on the part of some small mine owners. The shipment was made from a point in Idaho to the Washoe smelter of the Anaconda company. The consignment weighed practically five tons and was sent through the mail in 209 sacks of 50 pounds each.

Each sack called for 54 cents in postage and owing to wagon hauls and a round about way the government undoubtedly lost considerable money on the transaction.

The ore was of high grade and was shipped from Elk City, which being 30 miles from the railway, the government had to hire teams to bring the ore to the railway station. Teams had to be hired at other points before it finally reached the Washoe smelter.

GOOD DIVIDEND PAYER.

Charles Grimes and fellow officers and stockholders of the Tom Reed Gold Mines company met in the offices of Tarr & McComb last Monday and elected the old board of directors for the ensuing year. The report of the president showed big results for the stockholders. While the year did not show quite as large production as 1912, it still showed the disbursement of a greater amount of money to the shareholders, and the strengthening of the reserves. It is no cause for wonder that Charles Grimes is again the president of the company and that S. S. Jones is Superintendent and Bart Laneford assistant Superintendent. When it is realized that nearly 700,000 was paid in dividends during the year on a few shares over 900,000. A great deal of this stock was acquired at fifteen cents a share. During the year developments were carried on to the 1000 level and the mines exploited in many new places. Greater reserves were blocked out in the new openings and a greater value given to the shares. Under the management of the present board of trustees and its officers the mine has become one of the greatest gold properties in the United States—Mohave Miner.

INSPIRATION.

New Plant Expected to Operate at a Lower Cost.

Officials of the Inspiration Consolidated Copper company say they expect the new plant will produce between 80,000,000 and 90,000,000 pounds of copper annually, at a cost of between eight and nine cents per pound. The production will be through two adjoining shafts, and mining methods will be different from those in vogue in other properties of similar character. The slicing system will be used, and as the overburden is not over 100 feet in depth, mining costs are expected to be comparative low.

Inspiration has had a 600-ton experimental plant in operation for some time, and recent work, it is said, has shown a recovery of 78 per cent. For carrying on further experimental tests the plant will soon be increased to 1000 tons capacity.

GREENE-CANANEA.

Greene-Cananea stock, after breaking to around \$21 on intervention in Mexico, has recovered more than 11 points in the last few days. Greene-Cananea Consolidated directors met early this week and decided to pay no dividend at present, and this was followed with similar action by Greene-Cananea directors. The directors stated, however, that Greene-Cananea had sufficient money on hand to warrant the payment of a dividend. They will meet again next week and if prospects then favor the early resumption of operations at the mine a dividend will be declared.

CANANEA MINES RESUME; MEN GOING IN TODAY

DOUGLAS, May 6.—The Cananea Consolidated Copper company announced that arrangements have been made to reopen the mines and smelter at Cananea, closed when foreigners were warned to leave Sonora. The announcement says a train will leave tomorrow with employees and that the plants will be reopened as soon as possible under an agreement by which the Constitutionalists promise protection.

BIDS FOR SCHOOL IMPROVEMENTS.

Bids will be received by the Board of Education, School District No. 3, until Saturday, May 23rd, for the following described work:

Alteration of school building on Chase Creek to provide another classroom.

A building at the North Clifton school to provide a storeroom and toilet room for boys and toilet room for girls.

A building at the South Clifton grammar school to provide a toilet room for boys and a toilet room for girls.

Plans and specifications for this work can be had at the office of the Board of Education or from Architect Duncan McNeil. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

W. B. MITCHELL,
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JOHN GRIMES, Trustees.

May 8-21.

TELEGRAPH COMPANY SUE FOR DELAY OF DEATH MESSAGE

Phoenix—Alleging that he had been deprived of the opportunity of being with his father during the last hours of his life, Charles H. Haupt yesterday afternoon filed suit for \$15,000 against the Western Union Telegraph company.

On the morning of September 15, last, alleges Haupt, a telegram was addressed to him from the Sisters' hospital in Phoenix, reading as follows:

"If you wish to see your father alive, come at once."

The telegram is said to have been signed by the Sister Superior of the hospital and delivered into the hands of the Western Union to be dispatched to Gila Bend, where the younger Haupt was living at the time.

Henry Haupt, the father, passed away in the hospital on the morning of September 19. The son alleges that he did not receive the telegram, and was unaware of his father's demise until he received a telegram from a Phoenix undertaker on September 20, asking what disposition should be made of the body.

The complaint charges that the telegram was not delivered because of the negligence of the company.

NOTICE.

To Water Consumers: The following rules have been approved by the Arizona Corporation Commission and made effective from and after May 1st, 1914 by order of the Commission.

The Water Company will apply such rules beginning May 15th, 1914 to give better service of all kinds pending further notice.

Rules for Water Consumers Using Water for Lawns and Sprinkling.

Water used for lawn and sprinkling purposes on west side of railroad track in Hill's Addition and on River Side shall be used only between the hours of 5:30 o'clock p. m. and 7:00 o'clock p. m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week.

Water used for lawn and sprinkling purposes on East Side of railroad track in Hill's Addition and on South Clifton shall be used only between the hours of 5:30 o'clock p. m. and 7:00 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of each week.

Water used for lawn or sprinkling purposes in all other parts of Clifton shall be used only between the hours of 3:30 o'clock p. m. and 5:00 o'clock p. m. on each alternate days.

In no case will a hose be permitted to be used without a nozzle.

In case of fire all hydrants shall be turned off during the fire, nor shall hydrants be turned on again except for necessary domestic purposes, until such fire is extinguished. A violation of these rules will subject the owner or tenant of such house using water for such purpose to cut off of his service connection without notice, and the payment of all dues in arrears and one (\$1.00) additional to have water turned on again.

Interior house connections and plumbing are subject to inspection by representative of the Water Company, a refusal to permit same will subject such owner or tenant to cut off of his service connection without notice, pending the granting of such permission.

No connection or connections to water main or otherwise, nor extension of service line, shall be made or turned on without written permission from the Water Company. A violation of this rule will subject the owner or tenant to cut-off of water without notice, and a payment of all arrears and \$5.00 additional to have water turned on again.

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